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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, JA, KS

SUBJ: DETERIORATION OF ROK-JAPANESE RELATIONS

REF: STATE 201887

FONOFF NORTHEAST ASIA DIV DIR SEO CALLED EMBOFF 2:45 PM SEPT.

14 TO REPORT THAT ROK FONMIN KIM HAD MADE FOLLOWING PROPOSAL
AT MEETING WITH AMBASSADOR USHIROKU EARLY AFTERNOON OF SAME
DAY:

A. TO AMEND WORDING OF TANAKA LETTER USING JAPANESE TEXT
AS BASIS, BUT WITH CHANGES REFLECTING WORDING OF KOREAN
TEXT.

B. IF ABOVE NOT ACCEPTABLE, TO LEAVE TEXT OF LETTER UN-
CHANGED, BUT PRODUCE AN AGREED MINUTE COVERING FOUR POINTS
WHICH KOREANS HAVE RAISED PREVIOUSLY, I.E., RESPONSIBILITY
FOR ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT; INTENT TO TAKE PUNITIVE MEASURES;
REGULATION OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES; AND PREVENTION OF RE-
CURRENCE. AGREED MINUTE WOULD BE INITIALLED BY USHIROKU AND
FONMIN KIM AT TIME OF VISIT BY SPECIAL ENVOY.

2. SEO SAID GOJ STUDYING PROPOSAL AND ASKED FOR ANY COMMENTS
WE MIGHT HAVE. AFTER SOME REFLECTION AND BEARING IN MIND
DEPARTMENT'S APPROACH TO JAPANESE EMBASSY OUTLINED REFTTEL,
WE CALLED SEO BACK AND MADE FOLLOWING POINTS:

A. WE DID NOT WISH TO BECOME INVOLVED IN NEGOTIATIONS ON
WORDING OF SETTLEMENT,

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B. WE WERE GRATIFIED THAT ROK HAS REOPENED DISCUSSIONS

AND HOPE THAT GOJ WILL MOVE IN DIRECTION THAT WILL PRODUCE
A MUTUALLY SATISFACTORY SOLUTION.

C. KOREAN PROPOSALS CLEARLY CALLED FOR GOJ RESPONSE THRU
DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS.
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